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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office action mailed January 24, 2008, Applicant responds as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this document.